

Hands On Nashville's HOME ENERGY SAVINGS PROGRAM

The Home Energy Savings Program engages volunteers to improve the energy efficiency of homes owned by Nashvillians living on low incomes.

Meeting Needs of Nashville Homeowners

Did you know utility assistance is one of our greatest unmet community needs?*

Metro Social Services reports that 'housing-cost burdened' homeowners dedicate more than 30% of their income towards housing related expenses.

The HES Program seeks to address that need through volunteerism, serving homeowners earning an average of 50% below the city's median family income.

Ways to Get Involved

VOLUNTEER

Help a neighbor and gain skills to apply to your own home.

SPONSOR AN HES HOME

Help provide HES project supplies, like light bulbs and insulation, or sponsor a home!

Learn more at HON.org/HES

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*Metropolitan Government of Nashville & Davidson County. (2015). [PLANNING & COORDINATION-SOCIAL DATA ANALYSIS]. Executive Summary - 2015 Community Needs Evaluation. Retrieved from http://www. nashville.gov

Learn While You Serve

Volunteers install improvements that increase comfort and decrease utility costs, resulting in an average savings of \$390 per year.

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DURING HES PROJECTS, VOLUNTEERS:

- Insulate Attics
- Seal Windows and Doors
- Install Low-Flow Water Fixtures, LED Light Bulbs, and More!



have saved an estimated \$275,000

thanks to Hands On Nashville volunteers.

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HOME ENERGY SAVINGS IMPACT



Your support powers the Home Energy Savings Program



IMPROVEMENT	IMPACT	AVERAGE SAVINGS*
Air-Sealing	Keeps cold air out and conditioned air in.	\$50
New Lights	LED bulbs are 6X more energy efficient compared to incandescent bulbs.	\$100
Smart Home Upgrades	New light plate covers, which measure humidity and temperature, help homeowners measure energy use.	\$15
Home Insulation	Keeps homes cooler in the summer and warmer in the winter.	\$160
Water Fixtures	New showerheads, toilets, and sinks save thousands of gallons of water annually.	\$40
HVAC Tune-Up	Increases the longevity of a home's unit by several years.	\$25
		\$390 annually!

Hands On Nashville also provides a new fire extinguisher, smoke alarm, carbon monoxide detector, reusable air filter, and healthy indoor air quality kit for homeowner health and safety.